City Police Jurisdiction. THE BONDS MUST BE LISTED.

Measure Containing This Provision Passes the House-Insurance Debate in the Scuate-Tax on Oyster-Tongers-Much Routine.

There was some little discussion in the Benate yesterday over the engrossment of Mr. Sands's bill putting assessment insurance companies upon the same footing as the "old-line companies" in regard to county, city, and town taxes. At present the former are not required to pay such taxes. Mr. Echols offered an amendment to impose a State tax of \$300 upon ssment companies. Messrs, Wickham, Morris, Mushbach, Keezell, Clement, and Sands opposed this, and advocated the original measure. Such a tax would increase the State revenues from such companies, but the counties, cities, and towns would receive no tax from them, as is the case under existing laws. The amendment was defeated by a vote of 18 to 13, and the bill was then engrossed.

The special order, which was the consideration of the "three-fourths-value clause insurance bill," was postponed until Tuesday at 1 o'clock, upon motion of Mr. Williams, the patron of the measure. AS TO TAKING OYSTERS.

Mr. Boykin introduced a bill for pro-viding that any person, a resident of this State, who shall be desirous of catching State, who shall be desirous or catching or taking cysters from the natural rocks or shoals of the waters of this Common-wealth with ordinary or patent tongs, shall first apply in writing to the inspec-tor of the county or district in which he resides for registration, which writing shall be signed by the applicant for regis-tration, and shall specifically state whether the applicant desires to pay weekly the tax imposed upon his sales weekly the tax imposed upon his sairs of oysters, or to pay the 2 or 55 license-tax. If the applicant desires to pay weekly, the inspector shall require him to report to him in writing, under oath, a true and accurate return of the amount a free and accurate return of the amount of sales of oysters caught from the na-tural rocks. If the applicant desires to pay the sum of \$\frac{1}{2}\$ for using and working ordinary tongs, and \$\frac{1}{2}\$ for using and working patent tongs during the lewful search, the said specific sum shall be paid as follows: One half on the 1st day of October, and the remaining half on the 1st day of November. 1st day of November.

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Mr. Boykin also introduced a bill to have the natural oyster rocks, beds, and shoals surveyed which were not surveyed in the geological survey under the act of February 29, 1822, and acts amendatory thereto, and to declare illegal and void assignments of natural oyster rocks not made in geograpia, with the renot made in accordance with the re-quirements of the law.

BIND IN TWO VOLUMES. Mr. Keezell, chairman of the Commit-

Mr. Reezell, chairman of the Commit-tee on Printing, which was directed some time since to investigate the question of having public and private bills bound separately, yesterday submitted his se-cond report. The first report showed that by binding such acts separately, about 1900 a year would be saved to the about 2500 a year would be saved to the State. That report also stated that a portion of the work of binding the acts of this session had already been done, and it would probably be unwise to attempt to change the method of binding at this session. Upon motion of Mr. Jones, who introduced the resolution in Jones, who introduced the resolution in regard to separating public and private bills, the committee was instructed to inquire further into the matter and report. In its report yesterday the committee stated that it would undoubtedly be a great saving to the State to enact a law providing that these acts be bound separately, but that in view of the fact that the session was more than half over, they thought it would be better to frame a bill providing for this method to be pursued at the next session, and with that end in view they would shortly with that end in view they would shortly introduce a bill providing for a compe-tent tribunal to decide which were pub-

lie and which were private bills.

This report was endorsed by several senators, and was accepted.

The third annual report of the Prison Association of Virginia was received and

BILLS PRESENTED AND REFERRED. By Mr. Sands: To ratify, confirm, and enlarge the charter of the Norfolk Wharf, Warehouse, and Terminal Com-Wharf, Warehouse, and Terminal Com-pany, to confer upon it the rights and obligations of a railway and transportaobligations of a railway and transporta-tion company as prescribed, and to change the name thereof to the Norfolk Terminal and Transportation Company. By Mr. Mustbach: To amend the Code of Virginia in relation to how sbandoned turnpikes shall be kept in order. By Mr. Mason: For the relief of Wil-lam Mayo, inte Treasurer of Westmore-land county, and bis sureties.

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By Mr. Lowry: To amend the Code of Virginia as to how warrants are paid, and to receive county and school warrants and jury and witness tickets for the payment of taxes.

By Mr. Parr: To authorize the Auditor

of Public Accounts to pay all claims in his office properly certified and approved Mr. Sands: To redeem certain lands

estate of J. A. Jefferds, deceased, delinquent for taxes.

By Mr. Tredway: To amend the Code in reference to delivery at the penitentia-

ny of prisoners.

A petition was presented by Mr. Stubbs from the colored Agricultural and Industrial School, of Gloucester, asking for an annual appropriation of \$500.

SENATE BILLS PASSED.

To authorize J. E. Blackmore to erect a lerhead on the Rappahannock river. To work the public roads in Middlesex

HOUSE BILLS PASSED. .

To incorporate the town of Barton Heights. "To authorize the Board of Supervisors

To authorize the Board of Supervisors of Middlesex county to borrow money.

To repeal an act authorizing the school trustees of Clintwood District to sell the present school-house and lot and to provide for the purchase of another.

House of Delegates.

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In the House yesterlay Senator Maynard's bill providing for police protection at the various base-ball parks, etc., which had passed the Senate, came up for consideration, with the recommendation of the Counties, Cities, and Towns Committee that it do not pass. A strong fight was made against the bill, and it was almost lost, but, by the skilful maneeuvring of several gentlemen who favored the measure it was

skifful manoeuvring of several gentlemen who favored the measure it was saved and recommitted to the Committee on Militia and Police.

When the bill was brought up Mr. Diggs moved to strike out the clause providing for taking jurisdiction from the coupty magistrates, and also moved to make it optional with the mayors of the cities to furnish police, instead of making it mandatory upon them to do so. Mr. Maupin opposed the bill, and said, so far as the Richmond base-ball park was concerned, he desired it understood that Henrico was fully able to take care of its own lawlessness, and the hill was simply the outcome of a desire on the part of Mr. Bradley to avoid the payment of \$25 a week to Henrico officers. on the part of Mr. Eradiey to avoid the payment of \$25 a week to Henrico officers.

Mr. Charles T. Bland said he thought the bill was an absolute necessity, certainly so far as Richmond is concerned. He referred to the riots which have occurred at hase-ball parks throughout the State, and said it had frequently been shown that county officials were unable to cope with the disorder, and didn't trouble themselves much about such things.

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Mr. McRae argued that the bill was simply in the interest of law and order, and asserted that it was impossible for ununiformed officers to maintain corder at the parks. Many ladies, he said, attended the games, and it was the duty of the Legislature, he thought, to

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Mr. Diggs referred to the amendments he had offered, and thought all the objections to the bill had been met. He said that, several prominent gentlemen of Richmond, whose wives and daughters attend the games, had appealed to him to have the bill passed, as the Henrico officers were unable to cope with the lawless element which frequented the park. They had no respect for ununiformed county officers, but did have great respect for the Richmond police, who knew them.

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Mr. Maupin took exception to Mr.

Diggs's remarks, and said that the best
people of Richmond predominated at the
games, and the lawless element were
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Mr. Reddy favored the bill. He said the county authorities were totally unable to cope with the crowd, and that frequently at the Richmond park such crowds were present that ladies have to go in the field, and are at the mercy of the lawless mob which congregates on the field. There was no reason, he said, why the police shouldn't go. There was nothing like a base-ball game to make a man lose his head, and in several instances if it hadn't been for the Richmond police great disorder would have occurred.

Mr. Randolph Harrison spoke strongly in favor of the bill, and set forth the effect a uniformed officer would have in quelling disorder.

Mr. Lee strongly advocated the mea-sure, and said its object was to sup-press disorder, rioting, and offensive spec-tacles to ladies, and for his part he could see no objection to such a bill.

HAVE IT RECOMMITTED.

Mr. Cabell favored the bill, and, realining the danger threatening its passage, moved to recommit it. This was voted down, and Mr. Maupin offered an amendment that the provisions of the bill should not supply to Henrico. This was carried by a vote of 37 to 39, and practically defeated by the bill.

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Mr. Diggs thereupon moved to dismiss the whole thing. On the first call this motion was carried, and the division resulted in a like manner. Mr. Saunders called for the ayes and noes, and being sustained therein, the roll was called, with the result that 36 ayes voted, as against 46 noes, and the House refused to dismiss the bill.

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Mr. Bland moved to send the bill to the Committee on Militin and Police, and after some fillibustering this motion prevailed, and the bill went to "General" valled, and the bill went to "General" McRae's committee.

KEEP THE WORK UP.

During the morning hour Mr. Parker, of Southampton, offered a resolution looking to the body remaining in session until 3 P. M., unless the calendar shall be described in the calendar shall b be disposed of before that hour. He and Mr. Saunders called attention to the ne-Mr. Saunders called attention to the ne-cessity of promptly disposing of busi-ness and keeping the calendar clear. They regretted that motions to adjourn were often made and adopted before all the work of the day was finished. Messrs, Pilcher and Berkeley and Speaker Messrs. Pilcher and Berkeley and Speaker Ryan opposed the adoption of the reso-lution on the ground it would have no effect, as a motion to adjourn can be made and may be adopted at any time. Mr. Parker stated that he had accom-plished his object by having the oppor-tunity to call attention to the bad prac-tice of adjourning when a few minutes would dispose of the calendar. He there-fore withdrew his resolution.

THE LISTING OF BONDS.

Mr. Parks's tax bill to amend the first subdivision of section 8 of the tax bill approved March 6, 1890, 88 as to provide for the listing of bonds, notes, and other

approved March 6, 1890, 88 as to provide for the listing of bonds, notes, and other evidences of debt subject to taxation, was called up as a special order, and was passed by a recorded vote of 65 to 18.

The Senate general-game law elicited considerable discussion in the House, into which Mr. May, of Alexandria, infused much humor. The bill, though several amendments were offered to it, was finally passed as it came from the Senate.

BILLS INTRODUCED AND RE-FERRED.

By Mr. Charles T. Bland: To have matural oyster-rocks, beds, and shoals surveyed which were omitted to be sur-veyed in the geodetic survey, under the act of January 29, 1892, and to declare illegal and void assignments of natural ovster-rocks not made in accordance with the requirements of the law. By Mr. Hundley: To regulate the grant-ing of licenses to sell wine, ardent spirits.

malt liquors, or any mixture thereof, in the town of Blackstone, or in two miles

By Mr. Berkeley: To provide a new charter for the Iron-Belt Building and

Loan Association, of Roanoke. By Mr. Saunders: To give John C. Hall, late Treasurer of the county of Franklin, and his deputies power of levy and distress to collect certain uncollected tax-

tress to collect certain uncollected taxtickets now in his hands.

By same: For the relief of Jacob Jamison, a disabled Confederate soldier.

By Mr. Craig: For the relief of W. M.
Nuckels, of Rockbridge.

By Mr. Cooke: To amend section 4 of
an act to establish an additional court
for the city of Norfolk, and to define its
unisalizing. The bill provides for holding

jurisdiction. The bill provides for holding sessions of the court each month in the year, except August and September. By Mr. Miller: To amend section 1791

of the Code in relation to the transfer of receipts issued by licensed warehouses.

By Mr. Sutheriand: For the relief of Jordan Sturgill from the payment of a fine of the County Court of Wise county.

By Mr. Tallaferro; To entitle Emma T. Slaughter to be absent on the payment list. Slaughter to be placed on the pension-list Slaughter to be placed on the pension-list.

By Mr. Morgan: For the protection of hotels, boarding-houses, and other like places where board or lodgings are furnished for compensation. The bill seeks to make a failure to pay board a misdemeanor, punishable by imprisonment and fine, and vests in the landlord full power to levy on all personal effects, moneys, wages, notes, accounts, choses in action, tools, etc.

By Mr. Pilcher: To amend section 245

By Mr. Pilcher: To amend section 24% of the Code in relation to contracts, deeds, etc., that are void as to creditors and purchasers unless recorded. By Mr. Sutherland: To amend section 9

of an act to provide a new charter for the town of Clintwood, in Dickenson county. By same: To repeal section 9 of chapter 3 of an act of 1894 in relation to the same

By Mr. Banks: For the relief of Canada Williams, of Carroll county.

By Mr. Coles: To amend section 2137
of chapter 743, Acts of 1836-34, in relation
to assessment of taxes on oyster plant-

ing-grounds.

By Mr. Hathaway: Petition from citi-zens of Larcaster, asking that the Board of Supervisors be allowed to increase the salary of the county Judge not to exceed

PLACED ON THE CALENDAR. By Mr. Miller: To protect partridges (or quail) in the county of Rappahannock. By Mr. Craig: To amend and re-enact an act approved February 29, 1894, to reg-ulate the killing or capturing of game,

ulate the killing of capturing of game, etc.

By Mr. Williams: To amend and re-enset section 10, chapter 188, Acts 1891-192, entitled an act to amend and re-enact chapter 236, Acts of 1885-29, entitled an act to amend and re-enact chapter 192, Acts 1885-86, entitled an act to incorporate the town of Pulaski City.

By Mr. Hathaway: To amend and re-enact an act entitled an act regulating the fishing of purse-nets and pound-nets in the tributaries of the Potonac river within the jurisdiction of the counties of Stafford, King George, Westmoreland, and Northumberland, and in the Rappa-hannock river, approved March 3, 1892.

SENATE BILLS PASSED.

see that the bill is passed simply to protect the ladies.

Mr. Maupin submitted that he did not object to city police being sworn in for duty at the Richmond park, but he wanted the authorities of the park to pay for them.

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To incorporate the Wythe County Rattroad Company.

To authorize the United Security Life-Insurance and Trust Company, of Pennsylvania, to do business in the Statewithout the deposit of securities with the Treasurer.

To repeal an act entried an act in reference to persons in Princess Anne.

reference to persons in Princess A county, approved February 3, 1882, amended and re-enacted by an act titled an act to amend and re-enact chap-ter 56 of the Acts of 1881-782, entitled an act in reference to fences in Princess Anne county, approved March 3, 1890.

HOUSE BILLS PASSED. To amend the first sub-division of section 8 of the tax-bill approved March 6, 1890, so as to provide for the listing of bonds, notes, and other evidences of debt subject to taxation.

To provide a new charter for the town

To amend and re-enact sections 525, 3518, and 3519 of the Code of Virginia, in rela-Iron Gate

tion to fee-bills.

To amend and re-enact section 3730 of the Code, in relation to carrying con-To amend and re-enact section 3169 of the Code of Virginia, in relation to the pay and mileage of jurors.

THESE ARE NOW LAWS.

Bills That Have Received the Approval of the Governor.

following bills have been approved by the Governor: To incorporate the Mary F. Ballen-

tine Home for the Aged. To amend an act to incorporate the

To amend an act to incorporate the town of Orange, so as to enable said town to horrow money.

To authorize the Ceancil of the city of Portsmouth to issue bonds for school, street, and other improvements.

To authorize the Board of Supervisors of Glies county to levy a tax for district-school purposes. To authorize the appointment of a hysician to the poor of the city of Ports-

incorporate the Powhatan Troop

Association.
In relation to the New York, Philadelphia, and Norfolk Railroad Company.
To incorporate the Potomac River
Power Company. Power Company.
To amend sections of the Code in re-

Power Company.

To amend sections of the Code in relation to the proceedings against delinquent treasurers and their sureties.

To incorporate school trustees other than clerks of district-school boards in the counties of Gloucester and Mathews.

To amend the charter of the city of Manchester and to validate all taxes and assessments in said city made prior to and including the years 1895 and 1896.

To authorize a vote in the city of Danville and town of Neapolis upon the question of annexing and uniting said city and said town in one city.

question of annexing and uniting said city and said town in one city. To give M. C. Richardson, Treasurer of Warren county, Va., power of levy and distress to collect certain uncollected

Cases Before the Justice.

Little of interest was accomplished in the Police Court yesterday morning. The case of John H. Braxton, charged with the betrayal of the daughter of John F. Brauer, was continued to the 25th. This is quite an interesting case, and has thrown colored society of Jackson Ward into the most intense excitement. Mary is not the daughter of William F. Brown, the barber, under the Lexington, but of the former Jackson-Ward production.

Ward magistrate.

Ernest Mimms (colored), charged with stealing an overcost from J. D. Marshall, was given six months' in jail. Ernest could give no plausible excuse for his action, as they had the dead wood on him.

The case of William Foster, charged with girling and wonding with a stick

President, E. A. Catlin; Vice-President, James R. Gordon; Cashfer, A. B. Blair.

Officers of the Old Dominion.

The Old Dominion Democratic Club held its annual meeting Wednesday night, and elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, W. W. Wood; suing year: President, W. W. Wood; Vice-Presidents. Sol. L. Bloomberg. George E. Bowden, and S. Stern; Secre-tary, M. E. Ramos; Assistant Secretary, W. S. Wood; Sergeant-at-Arms, Issae W. S. Wood; Sergeant-at-Arms, leader Michael Speeches were made by the newly-elected president, and Mr. W. E. Joynes, the retiring president, Mr. Ramos presented his annual report, which showed that the present membership of the club is 700. The club is the oldest organization of its kind in the South.

Opening of the Museum.

There will be an important called meeting of the Confederate Memorial Literary Society at the Confederate Museum, corner Tweifth and Clay streets, to-morrow

or Twelfth and Clay streets, to-morrow at 12 o'clock M.

It is expected that arrangements for opening the Confederate Museum will be made at this meeting. The suggestion has been made that it would be appro-priate to open the building with a public reception on the 22d of February. This is both Washington's Birthday and the anniversary of the inauguration of Mr. Davis as President of the Confederacy.

Leap-Year German.

A leap-year ball given by a number of popular German ladies is announced for Wednesday evening, February 5th, at the Wednesday evening, February 5th, at the Masonic Temple, Of course, the gallant beaux will be present in full force.



Highest of all in Leavening Power .- Latest U.S. Gov't Report



MISS BARTON'S MISSION.

She Starts for Constantinople to Relieve Suffering Armenians. (New York Times.)

The flag of the International Red-Cross Society fluttered in the breeze from the mizzenmast of the steamship New York, of the American Line, as she backed out from her wharf, on starting on her trip to Southampton, Eng. It was displayed thus conspicuously in honor of Miss Clara Barton, the venerated president of the American Red-Cross Society, who

clara Barton, the Ventrates, who is a passenger on the steamship, Miss Barton is on her way to Constantinopie, her mission being to succor the suffering Armenians and to distribute among them the relief funds which have been contributed for that purpose in this country. She is accompanied on this mission by Dr. J. B. Hubbell, field agent of the American Red-Cross Society; George H. Pullman, her private secretary; Miss Lucy Graves, stenographer and typewriter, and Ernest Mason, who will act as interpreter.

Miss Barton and those who accompany her on her mission arrived from Washington by the Baltimore and Ohlo railroad. The party was met at the foot of Liberty street by Mrs. Charles H. Raymond and a committee representing the New York Society of the Red-Cross, among whom were Dr. Gottlieb Steger, Miss Bettlina Hofker, Sister Superior of the Red-Cross Hospital; Dr. A. Monas

Miss Bettina Hofker, Sister Superior of the Red-Cross Hospital; Dr. A. Monas Lesser, and S. E. Barton, a nephew of Miss Clara Barton. The members of the party were at once taken to Dei-monico's, where a breakfast was given in their honor by Mrs. Raymond, Among those who were present at the break-fast were Justice George C. Barrett, of the Appellate Division of the Suprems Court; Mr. Olarovsky, the Russian Con-sul-General, and Mrs. Olarovsky; Dr. Court, Mr. Charovsky, the Russian Con-sul-General, and Mrs. Olarovsky; Dr. Lesser and Mrs. Lesser; Miss Myrtis Barton, a cousin of Miss Clara Barton; C. H. Cottrell, Mrs. Harriet Reed, of Boston; Colonel Richard Hinton, Mrs. S. E. Barton, and Mrs. C. P. Cross. At the breakfast Miss Barton talked about her projected trip to Armenia.

At the breakfast Miss Barton talked about her projected trip to Armenia. From Southampton, she said, she will proceed immediately to London. Thence she will go to Paris, Geneva, Baden-Baden, and Vienna. From the Austrian capital she will go direct to Constantinople, where the headquarters of the relief movement will be established. In England, France, and Germany she will consult the heads of the Red-Cross societies in those countries, and at Geneva she will receive the benefit of the advice and counsel of the heads of the international society, with the view of intelligent co-operation in the wovement for the relief of the suffering Armenians, Miss Barton said that it is proposed, should occasion require it and permission be given, to erect post hospitals at Alexbe given, to erect post hospitals at Alex-andretta, on the Mediterranean, and at Trebizond and Sansoun, on the Black

Miss Barton told her friends that her trip is due to her desire to investigate for herself the reasons which actuated the Sultan in his opposition to the members of the Red-Cross Society going to Armenia to distribute the money subscribed to ameliorate the suffering of the succeeding and the suffering of the succeeding the supports.

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A. O. Winston (colored), charged with running a policy-shop, was sent on to the grand jury by the Justice. The officers caught Winston in the act of writing the podey-tickets.

The Security Bank.

At a largely-attended meeting of the stockholders of the Security Bank held at their banking-house yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock, the report of the president showed the bank to be in a most prosperous condition, the past year having been the most profitable in the history of the institution. The following directors were then elected: E. A. Catlin, James R. Gordon, Preston Cocke, S. Dabney Crenshaw, A. Bargamin, C. H. Harsan, Beverly B. Munford, E. W. Gates. Clay Drewry, C. W. Tanner, J. B. Mosby, T. D. Neal, Jr., W. T. Hancock, N. R. Savage, and J. L. Antrim. The directors then elected the following officers: President, E. A. Catlin; Vice-President, James R. Gordon; Cashfer, A. B. Blair.

"I really have no definite plans. I had "I really have no definite plans. I had intended to go direct to Constantinople, but I think now that it would be better for me to stop at London, Paris, and Geneva for consultation with the Red-Cross authorities at those places. It may be three weeks before I reach Constantinople. I cannot tell until I reach Constantinople what I may be permitted to do. Of course, I shall consult with United States Minister Terrell before taking any steps whatever. I hope to enlist his sympathles, so as to facilitate taking any steps whatever. I hope to eniist his sympathies, so as to facilitate my application to the Turkish Govern-

"There is no bravado in this trip. "There is no bravado in this trip. I am going simply as the agent of the charitable people of this country to distribute the funds which they have contributed for the relief of the distressed Armenians—not only to relieve suffering Christians, but to feed the hungry and succor the distressed of all denominations who may be found in need. I cannot understand why this has been interdicted by the Turkish Government, and I want it distinctly understood that I have no desire or wish to antagonize the authorities in the places which I am want it distinctly understood that I have no desire or wish to antagonize the authorities in the places which I am about to visit. I am simply a woman bent on a humane and difficult mission, and I therefore ask for assistance, and not opposition. I deprecate everything that has been said and written denouncing the Turkish Government. I have never joined in these attacks upon the Sublime Porte. They do no good, and are calculated to increase the difficulties of my mission. I have never said as reported, that I would get funds to the Armenians whether the Sultan liked it or not. Such statements as this have greatly mortified me.

"I appreciate fully that I have undertaken a delicate and difficult mission, and if the newspapers will kindly state my position truly they will help me greatly. To say that I am going to carry out my intentions despite of the Turkish authorities only hinders what I have in view."

Dr. Hubbell said that the party will.

In view."

Dr. Hubbell said that the party will strive to show the Sultan that the Red Cross Society always maintains strict neutrality, and that in the present mission the party is entirely friendly to bim and his government.

"We have received no word from Minister Terreil as to the nature of the reception we may expect at Constanti-

reception we may expect at Constanti-nople," continued Dr. Hubbell. "Should Miss Barton succeed in winning the friendship of the Sultan, she will send for the funds that have been raised in America by the Armenian Relief Society. We go with no official letters from Sec-

America by the Armen an Relief Society. We go with no official letters from Secretary Olney, the Secretary not desiring to commit the United States Greenment in our behalf or seem to take sides in the controversy so far away."

The New York sailed soon after 11 o'clock, and Miss Barton and her companions stood at the rail waving farewell to their friends on the pier until the beautiful steamship was out of sight.

At a meeting of the National Armenian Relief Committee, resolutions were adopted approving the action of the American Red Cross Society in sending a mission to Turkey, and expressing the hope that the aid of the International Red Cross Society may be enlisted in the effort to obtain the consent of the Turkish Government to the proposed work of relieving distressed Armenians. The resolutions also state that the committee will continue the work of

collecting funds throughout the United the resolutions say, "is officially cluded, which we do not anticipate. arrangement has been made by which the National Committee is able to give assurance that all sums shall reach the sufferers through other responsible agencies."

EMPLOYMENT WANTS.

WANTED, A PRESS-BOY, ONE WHO knows how to "make-ready." Apply earl this morning. H. T. EZEKIEL, 722 eas Main street. ja 24-1t*

WANTED, AT ONCE TWO MEN, with energy and push. Most liberal arrangements will be made with right parties. Apply from 3 to 6 P. M., Room 3, Times Building. WANTED, BY AN ACTIVE YOUNG MAN, who is not afraid of work, a POSITION AS TRAVELLING SALESMAN in Virginia for reliable firm. Cumberland and adjoining counties preferred as territory. Am willing to work either on salary or commission. References Al. Address W., 201 west Main street, Owensboro', Ky.

boro', Ky.

WANTED, A GOOD SALESMAN TO
TRAVEL for a specialty line in South
Carolina. A resident of that State and
a man accustomed to canvassing the
grocery and general merchandise stores
preferred. Reference required. Address
SOUTH, care this office.

ja 23-31*

COLLECTOR.—YOUNG MAN, 24
wants PLACE, Bond and reference-PLACE. Bond and references Know the city. J. W. S., Genera ry. ja 22-W,F&Su3t*

BUSINESS WANTS.

JACOB REED'S SONS, PHILADEL-PHIA, Pa., desire to establish an AGENCY IN RICHMOND FOR THEIR LINE OF MERCHANT TAILORING. Will furnish the right party with full and complete outfit for spring trade. Applicants apply in person from noon to 2 P. M. Friday to GEORGE WALTER MUNROE, Lexington Hotel. ja 24-11* WANTED, CASH FOR COAL AND

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pounds. Hail Splint-\$4.50 and \$4.25 per 2,000 West Virginia Lump-\$4.50 per 2,900

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Managers Southern Business University,
Lynchburg, Va.:
Gentlemen. -Your valued favor of July
4th to hand and noted. I am glad to
note that your school is moving on nicely,
and I trust it may continue in growth,
which it so well deserves to do.

I would say here that a course taken
in the Southern Business University is
money well spent, and I shall ever be
thankful that I availed myself of the
opportunity of learning at your school,
in about four months, what it would
have taken me years to learn in an office.
I have now been with Messrs, Heath,
Springs & Co., of this place, for about
two years, and have their assurance that
I have given them perfect satisfaction. I
attribute my success in filling the position,
in a great measure, to the training I
received at the Southern Business University.

As I have done before, let me thank you

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state that Mr. C. B. Fuqua has been
employed by us for the past few years
as book-keeper, and has proved himself
to be thoroughly capable and competent;
and if all of your graduates are as efficient as he is, you are to be congratulated
on your success in turning out accountants. Very truly.

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As I have done before, let me thank you for procuring this position for me.

Yours very truly, L. C. LAZENBY.

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AT 12 O'CLOCK, By virtue of a deed of trust, executed by G. A. Kass, and duly recorded in the Clerk's office of the Richmond Chancery Court, to the undersigned trustee, I shall proceed to sell, at public auction,

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By virtue of a deed of trust from Sol. Well to me, as trustee, and duly recorded. I will proceed to sell to the highest bidder on the above date. THE ELEGANT LOT OF BAR FIXTURES AND FURNISHINGS now at 1399 east Cary street, consisting in part of Bevel-Plate Mirror. Bar Fixtures, Steam Lunch Counter, and Stools; one Cash Register, one lot of Landoum, etc.; also, Unexpired Lease and Licensee. street, between Fifth and Sixth streets, MILLINERY GOODS

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SOL. L. BLOOMBERG, Trustee.
J. D. Seabright, Auctioneer.

Ja 21

George W. Mayo, Auctioneer, 22 and 24 north Ninth street.

The following articles of unclaimed freight, having been in possession of the Richmond and Petersburg and Petersburg railroad companies for over sixty days, will be sold at suction, for freight and charges thereon, at the freight-tepet of the Richmond and Petersburg Railroad Company, Byrd street between Ninth and Tenth streets, at 1039 A. M., FRIDAY, JANUARY 3t, 1896.

I. F. Smith Richmond, Va. Iron Safes:

FOR THE INFORMATION OF THE PUBLIC we desire to state that we have leased the Ellett Block for a term of THREE YEARS. Richmond shall be the PERMANENT HOME of the VIRGINIA RUSINESS COLLEGE. We have been actively engaged in business-college work for more than SEVEN YEARS; hence it is no NEW THING to us. We are now conducting the SOUTHERN BUSINESS UNIVERSITY, of Lynchburg. Va., and our students in Lynchburg through the ONVERSITA, of Lynchburg, va. and our students here make transactions with our students in Lynchburg through the UNITED STATES MAILS, and every record is made upon their books. The business done by our students is IDENTICALLY THE SAME AS THAT DONE BY BANKERS, MERCHANTS, etc. Remember, we HAVE NO COPYING. From "start to finish" our students make real transactions. Our BANKING AND OFFICE DEPARTMENT is finely equipped. In this the books are just the same as those used in real banks, wholesales and commission-houses, freight offices, etc. Every student, before completing our

Court of Petersburg, Va., the PETERS-BURG AND ASYLUM RAILWAY will be sold by public auction, in the city of Petersburg, at 12 o'clock noon, on

or full particulars apply to the under-ned commissioners at Petersburg, Va. ALEXANDER HAMILTON, RICHARD B. DAVIS.

Richmond, Va., January II, 1826.

THE REGULAR ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE
UNITED BANKING AND BUILDIAN.
COMPANY Will be held MONDAY, JANUARY 27, 1826, at 12 o'clock M., at the
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B. F. Smith, Richmond, Va., Iron Safes; R. F. Smith, Richmond, Va., Iron Safes; Herring Hall, Richmond, Va., Iron Safes; J. R. Vandever, Richmond, Va., Seg Bounce, I box Greuse; Venable F. Co., Richmond, Va., paper, Mrs. Sheperd, Richmond, Va., Libex; Spott Mg. Co., Richmond, Va., Cider; M. Scott, Richmond, Va., Cider; J. T. Montgemery, Richmond, Va., I Met. Kit; J. W. Martin, Richmond, Va., I Met. Kit; J. W. Martin, Richmond, Va., Cherrino, Va., Company, Co., Richmond, Va., Contes; Harris, Richmond, Va., Contes; Harris, Richmond, Va., Co., Richmond, Va., Libex Clothes; Harris H. Co., Richmond, Va., Lats; Ashfon Starke, Richmond, Va., Hats; Ashfon Starke, Richmond, Va., Kleiner, Va., Low, Co., Richmond, Va., Kleiner, Va., Low, Richmond, Va., Kleiner, Stokes & Simmons, Richmond, Va., Kleiner, Va., Lats; Ashfon Starke, Richmond, Va., Kleiner, Va., Lats; Ashfon Starke, Richmond, Va., Richmo and will begin promptly at 10 o'clock A. M. G. R. TABB, Trustee. SPECIAL AND VERY ATTRACTIVE of about 30 New Carpets, all sizes and lovely patterns, and best quality, in Axand Tapestry; also, a splendid collection of Furniture, new and second hand, such as Oak Chamber Sults, Oak and Walnut as Oak Chamber Suits, Oak and Walnut Sideboards, spiendidly kept Walnut Dining Table, Parlor Organ, Oak Chiffonniere, Wood and Cane Chairs, Rockers, and many other desirable Housefurnishings. This sale is worthy of buyers. The goods must go to make room for other consistents. for other consignments. I respectfully solicit consignments for my regular Tuesday and Friday sales, and will give my personal attention to all kinds of court sales and at private residences, and stocks PALMS, FERNS, LILIES, AND OTHER FLOWERS AT AUCTION TO-DAY AT 10:30 A. M. We have another large consignment of Growing Plants and Flowers of all kinds, which we will dispose of to-day, without limit or reserve. They are all nice, fresh, and healthy plants. Seats for ladies J. D. SEABRIGHT, Auctioneer. W. J. Puryear, Salesman. ja 24

FORECLOSURE SALE OF VALU-

tersburg, at 12 o'clock noon, on WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 1896.

The bond required by the above decrea has been executed by the commissioners.

FORECLOSURE SALE OF VALU.

PURSUANT TO A DECISION OF VALUATION OF THE PROPERTY.

PURSUANT TO A DECISION OF THE HUSTINGS COURT Of the city of Petersburg. Va., the PETERSHUERG STREET RAILWAY will be sold by public auction, in the city of Petersburg. Va., at 12 o'clock noon on WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 1886.

FOR full particulars apply to the undersigned commissioners at Petersburg. Va. ALEXANDER HAMILTON.

W. R. McKENNEY.

W. P. McRAE.

RICHARD B. DAVIS.

Commissioners.

The bond required by the above decree has been executed by Alexander Hamilton and Richard B. Davis, commissioners, de 6-F8t

MEETINGS.

Richmond, Va., January 11, 1896 Office Old Dominion Building and Loan

ION BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION will take place in the half of the Chamber of Commerce TUESDAY, JAN UARY S. 1896, at 12 o'clock noon, in 9-td E. A. BARBER, Treasurer.

of the stocknoiders of THE COMMERCIAL BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION OF RICHMOND, VA., will be held at the office of the association, at 83 cast Main street, in the city of Richmond, Va., at 12 M. THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 1886.

E. M. CRUTCHPIELD, ia 5-lm Secretary and Treasurer.



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